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*Commencement*

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*Memphis State University*



## THE UNIVERSITY MACE

### Embodiment of Tradition

Formally presented at the May, 1987, commencement ceremonies in commemoration of Memphis State University's 75th anniversary, the University Mace—a ceremonial baton of ancient lineage symbolizing the modern MSU—is a visual embodiment of the traditional pomp and circumstance of the University.

In medieval times, the mace was carried by kings and bishops into battle as a formidable weapon of war. While the mace lost its connotations of war, it became a symbol of leadership and authority in academic circles.

Designed by Memphis State Art Services Director Jim Cloud and sculpted by MSU Art Professor Harris Sorrelle, the mace is a three-foot, 20-pound work. It is topped with a six-sided bronze head five inches in diameter displaying embedded silver disks. The disks on the head trace the history of the University from its beginnings as a two-year teacher training school to its present status as a comprehensive university.

The dates on the disks go back to September 10, 1912, when President Seymour Mynders opened the doors of West Tennessee State Normal School. Since 1912, the institution's name and status have changed four times.

The University Mace will be displayed only at formal events such as commencement ceremonies, honors convocations and other events attended by faculty in full academic regalia.

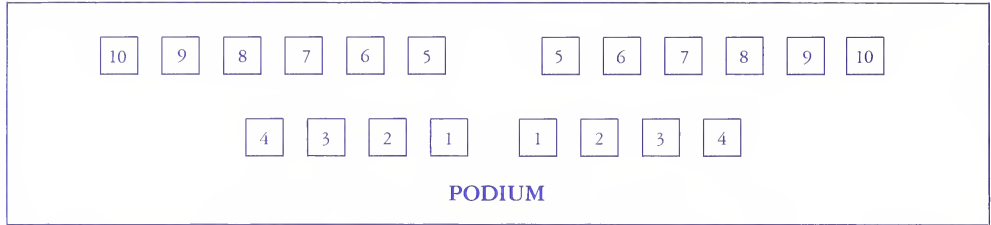
WINTER CONVOCATION  
OF THE  
SEVENTY-SIXTH COMMENCEMENT

10:00 A.M.

December 19, 1987

Mid-South Coliseum

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## PROGRAM

PRESIDING .....	Dr. Victor E. Feisal Vice President for Academic Affairs
PRELUDE <i>Prelude and Fugue in C major</i> .....	<i>J.S. Bach</i>
ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL <i>Pomp and Circumstance</i> .....	<i>Edward Elgar</i> Mr. Thomas P. Dettbarn, Organist
PRESENTATION OF COLORS .....	The Color Guard Air Force ROTC
THE NATIONAL ANTHEM .....	<i>Francis Scott Key</i> Mr. William E. Krieger, Soloist
INVOCATION .....	Sister Barbara Fava Newman Foundation/Catholic Student Center
THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME .....	Dr. Thomas G. Carpenter President of the University
ADDRESS .....	The Honorable William N. Morris Mayor of Shelby County
PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES and CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE .....	Dr. Feisal President Carpenter
PRONOUNCERS .....	Dr. James E. Fickle Dr. Sharon E. Harwood
	The Baccalaureate Degree The Master and Specialist Degrees The Juris Doctor Degree The Doctoral Degree
THE ALMA MATER .....	<i>J. W. Brister</i> Mr. Krieger
BENEDICTION .....	Sister Barbara Fava
ACADEMIC RECESSIONAL <i>Allegro from Sonata No. 1</i> .....	<i>Felix Mendelssohn</i>

Guests are requested to not come to the floor area during the ceremony; and, after the benediction to remain in place through the recessional.

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## HISTORICAL HERITAGE

From the opening of its doors in 1912 as a normal school for training teachers to its present status as one of Tennessee's two comprehensive universities, Memphis State has been thrust forward by the growth of Memphis and the Mid-South. A town oriented to a rural economy and culture in 1900 grew into a large urban and commercial center by mid-century, and the city's public institution of higher learning experienced comparable growth.

The normal school grew from a few hundred students (1912-1925), to a teachers' college with a better staff and an enrollment of up to a thousand (1925-1941), then to a state college with an expanded curriculum in liberal arts, business and graduate education for three to four thousand students (1941-1957), until the institution achieved university status in 1957.

It was not an easy struggle. As the city of Memphis grew and prospered, the demand for a completely developed public university grew. Finally, legislators and board members agreed about Memphis State's role and approved the change urged so forcefully by concerned local citizens, several presidents, alumni and faculty members.

The metropolitan requirements for more highly trained university graduates have, of necessity, caused Memphis State to expand all its offerings in arts and sciences, business, the fine arts, education, engineering and technology, law, and several special professional fields. More than 75 percent of the full-time faculty have earned the highest possible degree in their fields.

As enrollment settles in the 20,000 range, Memphis State is committed to developing programs of the highest quality, for only through such a commitment will it be a standard of quality in higher education for the citizens of the State of Tennessee. Every Memphis State student is expected, upon graduation, to be able to compete effectively with his or her counterparts from any other respected university in the nation.



## ACADEMIC DRESS

*The following information is to help our visitors identify the costumes seen in the commencement procession.*

Academic dress originated at universities in the Middle Ages when a warm gown and hood were necessary in unheated buildings. For centuries these gowns distinguished students from their fellow citizens; sometimes this distinction in dress symbolized unfortunate controversies between "town and gown". The European habit of using academic robes came to this country in the eighteenth century with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895 American universities and colleges standardized their styles of academic costumes, and this system, with occasional modifications, is still in force. Today the various colors, trimmings, and patterns of gown, hood, and cap are all traditional and symbolize both the degree and field of learning.

**GOWNS:** American academic gowns are usually of black material, and their pattern varies with the degree held. The bachelor gowns are relatively simple in design with a closed front and long, pointed, open sleeves. Master's gowns have an open front with long, closed sleeves, the arms extending through a slit at the elbow, giving the appearance of short sleeves. Doctoral gowns are the most elaborate with velvet panels down the open front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

**HOODS:** The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees (bachelor's, master's, and doctor's), are lined with the colors of the institution that granted the degree. Hoods are also trimmed with the color that heralds the major field of learning.

**CAPS:** A square mortarboard is the approval headgear. The tassel, fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap, is black or the color appropriate to the subject; it may be gold if the holder has a doctor's degree. Memphis State University has adopted the practice of having candidates for the bachelor degree to wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred and to shift them to the left at the moment when the degrees are awarded to them.

In the last few years many universities have decided to return to a distinctive gown design. For instance, Columbia's is now slate gray, Rochester's a dandelion yellow, Northwestern's is purple. The doctoral gown, with facing of black velvet, now has sleeve bands in the color of the wearer's discipline. Some have replaced the mortarboard with a soft velvet tam with a gold tassel.

Following is a list of the hood and tassel colors that represent several categories of learning.

Arts, Letters, Humanities .....	White	Home Economics .....	Maroon
Audiology & Speech Pathology .....	Dark Blue	Journalism .....	Crimson
City & Regional Planning .....	Scarlet Red	Law .....	Purple
Commerce, Accountancy, Business .....	Sapphire Blue	Music .....	Pink
Communication Arts .....	Silver Gray	Nursing .....	Apricot
Economics .....	Copper	Physical Education .....	Sage Green
Education .....	Light Blue	Public Administration .....	Peacock Blue
Engineering .....	Orange	Science .....	Golden Yellow
Fine Arts .....	Brown	Social Work .....	Citron

All hoods are *edged* with the above colors. These same colors may be used for the facing and sleeve bars of doctoral gowns and tassels on bachelors' and masters' caps.

The *lining* of the hood indicates the university granting the degree—for Memphis State University, blue and gray. Among other institutional colors represented at this commencement are those for Arkansas, red and white; Chicago, maroon; Columbia, light blue and white chevron; Duke, royal blue with white chevron; Emory, navy blue with gold chevron; Harvard, crimson; Illinois, navy blue with two orange chevrons; University of Iowa, old gold; Kansas, navy blue with cardinal chevron; Northwestern, purple with gold chevrons; Ohio State, scarlet with silver gray chevron; Rice, silver above blue; Texas, white above orange; Vanderbilt, black and gold; Wisconsin, bright red; Yale, royal blue.





From modest beginnings in the 1920's, the Memphis State University National Alumni Association (NAA) has grown into a nationwide organization representing over 60,000 MSU alumni and friends. The NAA has enjoyed its greatest growth since 1962 when the Association was first chartered. The NAA moved into the Alumni Center, its beautiful headquarters on the southeast edge of the campus, in 1976.

The Alumni Association is organized to provide aid, assistance and counsel to the University and the cause of education in general, and to promote fellowship among its members. As a graduate of MSU, one is automatically a member of the NAA.

The Alumni Association is governed by an Executive Committee and national Board of Directors selected each year. The Executive Committee meets monthly while the entire board meets approximately three times a year. An annual business meeting is held on Homecoming Day each fall.

The Alumni Center administratively is part of the University's Division of Advancement and Continuing Education. The Center has a seven person professional and support staff.

A wide variety of programs and services are offered to MSU Alumni and friends by the NAA. These include local constituent alumni chapters and out-of-town "MSU Clubs", the Volunteer Alumni Counselor student recruitment program, pre-game "Tiger Uproars" and parties, "MSU Days" in West Tennessee cities, a low-cost insurance program, international travel and trips to Tiger athletic events through the "Travelin Tigers" tour program, special alumni-oriented merchandise offerings, reunions, Homecoming, the Distinguished Alumni Awards, the Student Ambassador Board and the official alumni publication, *The Columns* Alumni Revue.

For further information, contact the Alumni Center at 454-2701.

UNDERGRADUATE  
CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Based on a grading system of "A" as 4.0, three designations of graduation honors are recognized.\*

Summa Cum Laude .....	With Highest Distinction
Magna Cum Laude .....	With High Distinction
Cum Laude .....	With Distinction

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

With the approval of the University Honors Council, Memphis State University offers several departmental honors programs. These programs involve a combination of special honors course work, independent study, and usually an honors thesis or project. Students who successfully complete a departmental honors program are awarded their degrees with honors in their area of concentration (e.g., With Honors in English).

\*Note: Because of time limitations imposed in preparing this program for commencement, listing for graduation with distinction was based on a minimum of forty-five (45) graded semester hours and the grade point average as of the term prior to the final semester. Final determination of graduation with distinction will be based on a minimum of fifty (50) graded semester hours, including the final semester, and on the cumulative grade point average as of graduation.

## THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

*Candidates presented by Interim Dean W.T. Mealor, Jr., Ph.D.*

The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are summarized in these words which serve as part of our official statement in the catalog issue of the University Bulletin: "The program of liberal studies aims (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight, and discrimination which they develop." We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the five degrees which we offer:

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for this oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students whose majors have been in the humanities and the social sciences, with various electives from other areas of the University:

Zuma Tapley Howell III, *summa cum laude*  
 Melvin Bruce Pitts, *summa cum laude* (with honors in English)  
 Richard Allan Taylor, *magna cum laude*

Peter Thomas Gardner, *magna cum laude*  
~~Dorthea~~ Irene Langford, *magna cum laude*  
 Dorothea  
 Lisa Michelle Rush, *magna cum laude*  
 Christina Louise Simon, *magna cum laude*

Arthur Scott Greer, *cum laude*  
 Joyce Ruth Jessup, *cum laude*

Debra McManis Lambert, *cum laude*  
 Jennifer Sue Love, *cum laude*

Mary Lisa Robeson, *cum laude*  
 William G. Smith, *cum laude*

Maria Soledad Acchiardo  
 Gladys Ann Al-Chokhachi  
 Deborah Denise Bennett  
 Jan Lynnette Booker  
 Preta Lynn Bowen  
 Daphne Lasherral Bulloch  
 Brian Wayne Donavant  
 Sanders Marie Duke  
 Steven Dennis Elliott  
~~Reginald L. Edwards~~  
 Lee Ann Frazier  
 Sonja Rene Futrell

Patricia Gudbaur Geloneck  
 Charles William Gilchrist, Jr.  
 Steven Warren Goin  
 Brent Lamont Graham  
 Jamie Leigh Greer  
~~Deborah Lynn Greisinger~~  
 Kevin James Harper  
 Scott Allen Hendricks  
 Cynthia Leonora Hill  
 Nicholas Randall Ingram  
 Joyce Ann Joplin  
 Lorie Diane Joyner

Julia Vicki Kapos  
 Lawrence Houston Keesee  
 Kevin Patrick Key  
 Michael Wayne Leach, *Cum laude*  
~~Catherine Michelle Means~~  
 Clifford Derrell Merryman  
 Mitsuru Nabekura  
 Helen Elizabeth Peacock  
~~Dave Earl Ray~~  
~~Kenneth Scott Reason~~  
 Charles Ray Rich  
 Amy Lynette Richardson

Craig Alan Sayle  
 William Jackson Sigler  
 Nicholas Bernard Smithers  
 Edna Denise Spencer  
 Gerald DeWayne Spurgers  
 Lisa Denise Stovall  
 Linda Brady Taylor  
 Mark Anderson Tillman  
 Tina Lee Watkins  
 Cindy Burns Whisenhunt  
 Patrick Lynn Wilkerson

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The Bachelor of Science is the degree awarded to those students who complete majors in one or more of the natural, physical, or social sciences:

Max McMurray Bayard III, *summa cum laude*  
 Zuma Tapley Howell III, *summa cum laude*

Ellen Fay Burnette, *magna cum laude*  
Danny Wah Lam, *magna cum laude*

Deena Sigel, *magna cum laude*  
Felisia Lynette Williams, *magna cum laude*

Jennifer Lin Bert, *cum laude*

~~Searlett Elizabeth Cavagnaro, *cum laude*~~  
David John Richardson, *cum laude*

Jill Diana Stevens, *cum laude*

Paul Alexander Armstrong  
Barbara Jean Berrie  
Harry Scott Berryman  
Janice Olivia Bolds  
Lisa Ann Brown  
Ronald Taylor Crabtree

Veronica Latrice Dotson  
Nancy Dean Funk  
Jorge Esteban Galindez  
Walter Thomas Hall  
Clay Stuart Holdford  
~~Brian Douglas Jackson~~

~~Etherlyne Venyce Jordan~~  
~~Victor Riley Kelley~~  
Anita Fay Massey  
Ray Nelson McPeak, III  
Patricia Renea O'Kelley

Patricia M. Smith  
Marius Jenó Toldi  
Aldia Lynne Wims  
Hon Shan Wong  
Kent Steven Wright

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMISTRY

The Bachelor of Science in Chemistry is a professional degree designed for students who wish to complete more work in chemistry than is possible in other programs:

Suzanne Marie Pearce

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

The Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology is a professional degree offered in cooperation with the Schools of Medical Technology of the Baptist Memorial Hospital, the Methodist Hospital, and St. Francis Hospital. A candidate completes a three-year preparatory curriculum with us and, after a year of clinical training at one of these three hospitals, is eligible for the baccalaureate degree.

Vonya J. S. Drinnon, *magna cum laude*

## THE FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

*Candidates presented by Dean J. Taylor Sims, Ph.D.*

The Fogelman College of Business and Economics offers only one undergraduate degree, the Bachelor of Business Administration degree. The goal of the undergraduate program of the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is to provide the basic education needed to prepare a man or woman to enter the field of business and to move rapidly from an entry level position to a managerial level of work.

We believe the curriculum which best accomplishes this goal consists of four components. First, a broad foundation of course work is provided in the liberal arts and sciences. At least 40 percent of the work taken by each student in the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is in the humanities, the social sciences, the natural and physical sciences, communications, and mathematics.

Second, the curriculum includes a significant amount of study of the economic and legal environment of business and introduces each of the major functional fields of business—accounting, finance management, and marketing.

Third, the curriculum provides for a choice of a major by the student. The student is permitted to select a major from accounting, economics, finance, insurance, real estate, business management, management information systems, marketing, international business, or office administration. Within most areas there is opportunity for the student to select a more specialized area of concentration, such as personnel management, advertising, economic theory, secretarial science, and so on.

Fourth, the Bachelor of Business Administration curriculum offers the opportunity for the selection of free electives. Through these electives, the student may select courses particularly suited to his or her own interests, thus providing an opportunity for the student to pursue in greater breadth and depth the study of business or related fields.

### BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Linda Shepard Blair, *summa cum laude*  
Cindy Jean Chandler, *summa cum laude*  
Marlene Frances Green, *summa cum laude*  
Gordon Arthur Lohnes, Jr., *summa cum laude*  
Kate Durham Rushing, ~~summa~~ *cum laude magna*  
Linda G. Taylor, *summa cum laude*

Laura Allen Adair, *magna cum laude*  
~~Carl M. Bosworth, magna cum laude~~  
Sonja Maria Denson Cantrell, *magna cum laude*  
Jennifer Lynn Doring, *magna cum laude*  
Kimberly Ann Garner, ~~magna~~ *cum laude summa*  
Jay Montgomery Grant, Jr., *magna cum laude*  
Barry Curtis Hacker, *magna cum laude*  
Mohammad Reza Hakimian, *magna cum laude*  
Mary Gay Pickard Myers, *magna cum laude*

Catherine Baldwin Anderson, *cum laude*  
Susan Wood Babin, *cum laude*  
Willie Jean Beard, *cum laude magna*  
Lauren Carr Boggs, *cum laude*  
Teresa Place Bowen, *cum laude*  
Ann Houck Cissell, *cum laude*  
Elizabeth Carpenter Dass, *cum laude*

Erik John Gilley, *cum laude*  
Thomas Francis Harrington, *cum laude*  
John Joseph Hourican, *cum laude*  
Stacey Constance Jones, *cum laude*  
Melissa Ann Kelso, *cum laude*  
Edward Norman King, *cum laude*  
Cheryl Lynn Lee, *cum laude*

~~Virgina Lynn Murray, magna cum laude~~  
Timothy Lee Myers, *cum laude*  
Patricia Anne Nelson, *cum laude*  
Andrea Brigitta Rukendorfer, *cum laude*  
Sheila Head Tillman, *cum laude magna*  
George Gregory Voehringer, *cum laude*  
Judy Faye Wade, *cum laude*

Mohammad Adel Al-Jafari  
Othman Hasan Al-Jafari  
Kathryn Leigh Albin  
~~Barbara Jean Allen~~

~~Anthony Tyrone Anderson~~  
James David Anderson  
Linda Kathryn Armstrong  
~~Corwin Morgan Arthur~~

Kenneth Ray Ashe  
James Roseman Avery, Jr.  
Michael Andrew Aycock  
Bethel Garner Bailey, Jr.

William Roberts Barbour  
James Tucker Beck  
Joseph Marc Bell  
Robert Sloan Benson

Stacy Elizabeth Bergman  
Darla Bernice Besser  
Antoinette Victoria Bevelock  
Leslie LeAnn Bishop  
Katherine Ann Black  
Jennifer Joy Blair  
John Kelley Borup -cum laude  
William Johnson Bosi  
~~Jordan Boone~~  
John Kurt Boxdorfer  
James William Brewer, Jr.  
Brenda Faye Jennings Brock  
Albertine Michelle Brooks  
Nancy Paige Brown  
Peter Joseph Brown  
Roger Dale Brown  
Bendley Owen Browning  
Brenda Hulse Buck  
Robert Eric Burns  
James P. Burr  
~~Charles Jefferson Burress~~  
Cynthia Jan Burton  
~~Dean E. Butler~~  
Debra Lynne Butler  
Derek E. Caraway  
Vickie Michelle Carlin  
~~Verline B. Caruthers~~  
David Allen Castro  
Raybon Clay Chamberlain, Jr.  
Mark Joseph Chaney  
Jayne Ann Ritchey Chapuis  
Herb F. Chenault III  
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~~Jefferson Davis Durden~~  
Mark Allen Durham  
Judith Lynn Dye  
Elizabeth Joan Eckles  
Ransom Edwards III  
Forrest Kelly Fancher  
Terése Ann Farrar -magnacum laude  
John Alan Feild  
~~Daniel Lee Fowinkle~~  
~~Sidney Oliver Freeman~~  
Melissa Sue Freiden  
Mark Clifford French  
Leslie Elaine Garey  
Yolanda Elizabeth George  
Leigh Ann Gikhrst  
~~Sherri Lynn Gildewell~~  
Jeffrey Scott Gore  
Glover G. Gray, Jr.  
Charles Houston Greer  
Beth DeAnn Gregory  
Darla Gaye Hall  
Leticia Joy Hall  
Ralph W. Handy, Jr.  
Malinda Kay Harding  
Johnnie Miller Harris III  
Lisa Ann Harris  
Jane Michele Harvey  
William Murrell Hatcher, Jr.  
Phillip Steven Hatton  
Thomas Jackson Herring, Jr.  
Elizabeth Ann Herzog  
Donna Faye Hettinger  
Paul John Hollahan  
Michael Gene Holland  
James Franklin Hollie  
Tracy Eugene Holmes  
Mark David Huber  
Robert Christopher Hunter  
Rosetta Daniel Huntsman  
Thomas Arthur Ince  
James Earl Jefferies  
Christie June Jenkins  
Ethel M. Johnson  
James Donald Johnson, Jr.  
Neil Cook Johnson

Sharon Renee Johnson  
James David Jones  
Kim Josh -cum laude  
~~Kevin Michael Keri~~  
Norman Lee Kercher, Jr.  
Alice Elizabeth Kinard  
Van Wayne Landfair  
Bradley Kenneth Lawler  
Peter Edward Lebedevs  
Andrew Robert Lee  
Lisa Marie Lee  
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Rebecca Ann Lee  
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Sarah Chamberlain Lewis  
Rhonda Kay Lindsey  
Larry Gale Livingston, Jr.  
Jiu Gary Lock  
Danielle Kristin Loeffel  
Sarah Brogan Lopez  
~~Jacqueline Lucien~~  
Ginger Pulliam Lusty  
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John Michael Piercy

~~Toney Harris Polk~~  
~~Adam Robert Pollock~~  
Jacqueline Cardelia Porter  
~~Thomas W. Pratt~~  
Jacqueline Carol Pullum  
Mark Van Putnam  
Rick Lynn Qualls  
Robert Cecil Raggio, Jr.  
~~Tony Marshall Rollings~~  
John Alvin Reddell, Jr.  
Laura Jean Reed  
Barry W. Rich -cum laude  
Melissa Dawn Richardson  
~~Michael Joseph Riggins~~  
Terri Leigh Roberson  
~~Teretha Ann Robertson~~  
Jeffery Mark Robinson  
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Tracy Diane Ruddell  
~~Parvin Safari Jafari~~  
Charles Delaney Sanders  
William Schamroth  
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Dayna Kennedy Sharp  
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Terri Lynn Smith  
Valerie Carr Smith  
Danny James Sparkman  
Alice Virginia Spencer  
Stacy Leigh Stewart  
Chad Hall Stevens  
Ellean Patricia Street  
Jeri Enoch Strong  
Gary Owen Stubblefield  
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Vincent Sewell Taylor  
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Glen Eugene Vaughn  
Stewart Greg Vaughn  
Veronica Elaine Vaughn  
Mary Kathleen Volner  
Stewart Irwin Vowell  
~~Scott Walton Walker~~  
~~John Kimzey Walton~~  
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Marcus Lynn Webb

Kirk Hunter Welch  
Connie Melinda Welden  
Tracey Lynne White  
Carla Marie Wilbourne  
Claude Undra Williams  
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Bobby D. Young  
~~Herbert Myron Young~~

## THE COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

*Candidates presented by Dean Richard Robert Ranta, Ph.D.*

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately focused upon visual and audible symbols, whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students.

Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in the fine or applied arts, communication, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers three degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in art history; journalism with concentrations in either advertising, broadcast news, public relations, or news editorial with emphasis in magazine, newspaper, or photojournalism; applied music; music history and literature; or theatre and communication arts with concentrations in broadcasting, communication, film and video tape production, general speech and theatre, or theatre.

Robyn Payne Qualls, *summa cum laude*

Maria Michelle Cornelius, *magna cum laude*  
Gregory William Creel, ~~*magna cum laude*~~

Harley Brooke Duncan, *magna cum laude*  
Mary Avis Evars, *magna cum laude*

Mary Jolinne Balentine, *cum laude*

Timothy Scott Sewell, *cum laude*

Julie Ann Acers  
Laura Michelle Anderton  
Holly Louise Armstrong  
Melissa Blackwood Booth  
Nancy Lynn Boyd *moved to  
B.F.A.*

~~Susan Dell Briggs~~  
Darrin L. Brown  
Randall Shan Brisendine  
Priscilla Celese Bullard, *Cum Laude*  
Jon Charles Bunnell

Timothy Wade Burgess  
John Keith Christopher  
Andrea Masharne Dancy  
Vicki Lynn Davis  
~~Darrin Maurice Deback~~

Jeffrey William Dion  
Deborah Jeanette Dismukes  
~~Timothy Jack Forbes~~  
Gary Dean Garth  
Melissa Gay Glaze

Shannon Leigh Gaulding  
Curtis F. Hopper  
Holly Grace Barlett Johns  
Terry Michael LeCroix  
Louise Marr  
Steven Metaxas  
June Ann Middleton

Cynthia Gay Mincer  
Earl Thomas Moore, III  
Lynette Patrice Moore  
Kimberly Patrice Morrison  
Laura Anne Nevins  
Stacy Ann Powell

Amy Elizabeth Robinson  
Celia Jo Sterling  
Melody Meadows Thompson  
~~Christopher Charles Vincent~~  
Kevin Anthony Waldrip  
Janice Emerson Walker

Rebecca Marie Walker  
Ocie Wallace, Jr.  
~~Antionette Watts~~  
Sheila Lee Whalum  
Mary Katherine Wilkins  
Carla Yarbrough

### BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in art with concentrations in either art education; graphic design; interior design; ceramics, painting, sculpture, and printmaking, or design, commercial music with concentrations in either music business or recording/engineering; or theatre with concentrations in either performance, design and technical production or dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Susan Houston Goetz, *magna cum laude*  
Dana Louise Owen, *magna cum laude*

Crystal Janine Ryan, *magna cum laude*  
Leslie Catherine Wroughton, *magna cum laude*

Patricia Claire Aviotti, *cum laude*

Gregory Scott Cravens, *cum laude*  
Eric James Painter, *cum laude*

Kevin Gerald Snelgrove, *cum laude*

Ryan Boyd Mary Ellen Yandell Boswell  
Evelyn May Franklin  
Robert Larry Franks  
Gregory Evan Garrison  
Barbara Ramey Grimes

Elaine Rhea Lasher  
Cathy Lynne Littman  
Mary Eden Lynch Minor  
~~Frank Eugene Moorman~~  
Christopher Dwyane Murphy

Sophia Lynne Parker  
Frederic Timothy Parks  
Sherri L. Pate  
Robert Lloyd Pierce  
Sherry Gail Presgrove

Brenda Marie Presley  
~~Timothy Herd Reese~~  
Barbara K. Walker  
Sandra Marie Wallace

### BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in music with concentrations in performance; sacred music; composition; music theory; music history; or school music; or in commercial music with concentrations in studio/live performance or composition/arranging. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Deánn Marie Stark, *cum laude*

~~Gloria Ann Parker Carr~~

Darrell Wardell Johnson



## THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Candidates presented by Dean Robert L. Saunders, Ed.D.*

The College of Education pursues six stated goals to help the University achieve its basic purpose, the advancement of learning. One of the six goals is highlighted at each commencement. This goal is "to provide preparation programs which produce teachers and certain other professional personnel sufficient in quantity and competence to help meet the needs of the state, region, and nation."

The several undergraduate preparation programs provided by the College of Education lead to three baccalaureate, professional degrees: the Bachelor of Science in Education, the Bachelor of Music Education, and the Bachelor of Science in Home Economics.

Each of the degree programs consists of three basic components. General Education courses comprise approximately 45% of each degree program. Professional courses make up from 25% to 40% of the total, depending upon the particular programs followed. The remaining portion is used to develop one or more specializations.

In addition to their prescribed courses, graduates of the various degree programs are required to meet criteria related to their personal and professional fitness for their chosen careers. Field-based laboratory experiences are included in all preparation programs in the College.

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Candidates for this professional degree have studied in programs covering five broad fields: curriculum and instruction, distributive education, health and physical education, home economics education, and special education and rehabilitation. These several teacher education preparation programs cover eleven majors which, in turn, are subdivided into some forty academic teaching endorsements. The College of Education also offers through this degree majors in the non-teaching fields of recreation and park administration, rehabilitation education, and educational services.

Linda Marie Pate, *summa cum laude*  
Robert Russell Riegel, *summa cum laude*  
Sharon Kay Shaw, *summa cum laude*

~~Phillip Douglass Dix, *magna cum laude*~~  
Jill Corbert Hart, *magna cum laude*  
Candace Carroll Lancaster, *magna cum laude*  
Mary Elizabeth Maness, *magna cum laude*

Jackie Roberts Pennel, *magna cum laude*  
Elizabeth Sumner Wafler, *magna cum laude*  
Patricia Boston Wells, *magna cum laude*  
Elizabeth Wochomurka Wilson, *magna cum laude*

Emily Marie Baker, *cum laude*  
Linda Hilderbrand Burns, *cum laude*  
Christine Marie Duncan, *cum laude*

Dollie Van Edwards, *cum laude*  
Marjorie West Hornor, *cum laude*  
Steven Robert Lape, *cum laude*  
Holly Shira Macfarlane, *cum laude*

Ashley Mingleorff Payne, *cum laude*  
Sherry Lynn Semrau, *cum laude magna*  
Caron Wilemon Swatley, *cum laude*

Lorie Scallions Albonetti  
Didier de Carvalho Aur  
Cynthia Marie Bach  
Elizabeth Ann Baker  
Jeff David Beard  
Taryn Marie Bell  
Kimberly Lynn Belleque

Roger Borer Blanton  
Sheryl Yvette Blue  
~~Rick Boman~~  
Katherine N. Bowen  
Deanna Julie Boyd  
Bridgette Kay Brown  
Reginald L. Brown

Debbie Sandifer Bryant  
Robert Ryan Buehler  
David Wayne Byrd  
Molly Bowie Cook  
K. Martel Follis Cronc  
~~Wanda Holmes Davis~~  
Lori Ann Dawson

Paula Leigh Dunn  
Mary Angela Eanes  
Sarah Sue Ebbers  
John Aron Edwards  
Aimee Beth Foster  
Dennis John Freecouf, Jr.  
Cynthia Anne Giannini

Neil Harris

Brenda Jean Goble  
~~Kimberly Carole Hart~~  
Deborah Lynn Hayes  
Elizabeth Ann Hearn  
Amy Farrere Holmes  
~~Karen Lynn Hurak~~  
Charles David Ingram  
~~Melissa Ann Jansen~~  
Angel Star Kay  
Gary Frank Knight  
Julie Pledger Linn

Jane Ann Mason  
Judy Lee Mathis  
Juliann Louise Mayr  
~~Phillippe Antonio McDonald~~  
Mary Ethel Mcknight  
Claudette Marie Metcalf  
Gary Eldon Miller  
~~Mary Catherine Montgomery~~  
~~Charlene Scott Moore~~  
Lisa Marie Moore

Melinda Perkins Murley  
Kim Eliese Murray  
Helen Elizabeth Perkins  
Tricia Ann Rivalto  
Gaylon Boyette Robinson  
~~Leigh Anne Rowell~~  
Steve Ashley Sides, *cum laude*  
Marcus Terry Sisco  
Dianna May Sit  
Sherry Bowie Spain

James Timothy Stallings  
Thyrais Matthews Templeton  
Melissa Ann Thomas  
Kimberly Bradley Thorpe  
Jean Silva Valadie  
Sidney Joseph Valadie, Jr.  
~~Donald Wayne Washburn, Jr.~~  
Denise Dempsey Webb  
Melissa Gaye Wood  
Karla Roxanne Woolley

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HOME ECONOMICS

Candidates for this professional non-teaching degree have majored in dietetics, merchandising with concentration in fashion or home furnishing, or food administration.

Bonnie Kidwell Toland, *magna cum laude*

Kimberly Suzanne Austein  
~~Mary Lewis Barkett~~  
Lisa Ann Castleman  
Tiki Deaton Crowley  
Sean Alexandria Dilworth

Kathryn Ruth Doyle  
~~Charles Fee~~  
Melanie Gay Fowler  
Hucie Ann Gates

Michele Throckmorton Glosson  
~~Rubie Neil Harris~~ *moved to BSED*  
Lisa Shawn Irvine  
Carla Marie Martin

Piper Leigh Pesnell  
Sherry Lee Stanfield  
Amy Sue Wells  
Virginia Whitaker Wise

### THE HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

*Candidates presented by Dean C. Ray Wimberly, Ph.D.*

The Engineering College's function is to provide education and research opportunities in the principal fields of engineering and engineering technology for the benefit of the industries and agencies of the metropolitan area, the state, and the nation. This purpose is accomplished by providing professional education in the principal fields of engineering, education in the major areas of four-year engineering technology, and graduate education in all areas. The programs in engineering and engineering technology are accredited by the prestigious Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Candidates for this degree have majored in civil engineering with a concentration in environmental engineering, foundation engineering, structural engineering, transportation engineering, or construction engineering.

Darian Spencer Chasteen, *magna cum laude*

Cheng Yeat Chung, *magna cum laude*

Matthew James Henry, *cum laude*

Lin Kee Teh, *cum laude*

~~Abdulmujid Mohd. Abunaser~~  
Ali Hasan Al-jafari  
Mahmoud Nimer Al-zawawi  
Gary Wayne Billingsley  
Steven Earl Canizaro  
Chew Leong Chang

Teik Cheow Chun  
~~Joel Douglas Depperschmidt~~  
Daniel Craig Evans  
Roslan Abdul Ghani  
Kai Choon Goh

Gina Leann Golightly  
Hatem Abdel Houtari  
Joel Taylor Johnson  
De'Lyntoneus Moore  
Joseph Duncan Rutherford, Jr.

~~Imad Rafik Sibak~~  
Larry Phillip Sorrell  
Teck Meng Tang  
Joseph Ray Trantham, Jr.  
Shih-Wen Yeow

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Candidates for this degree have majored in electrical engineering with a concentration in solid state electronics, energy conversion, control systems, computer science, or microwave antenna systems.

Cassie Marie Cantrell, *summa cum laude*

Michael Ray Russell, *magna cum laude*

~~William Jeffrey Cooper, cum laude~~

Christopher Lane Hale, *cum laude*

Jeffrey Alan Hazelip, *cum laude*

Dean Aquilina  
Holley Brigitte Carter  
Robert Ewing Chenault  
~~Hugh W. Cox, Jr.~~  
Mac Alan Crawford  
Leslie W. Creasy

~~Yousef Ahmad El-yousef~~  
Wendell Bernard Fuller  
Alden Brian Graber  
Candace Elaine Gregory  
Robert Boggs Hall  
Marcus Lanier Jones

Timothy Anthony Leblanc  
John C. Levesque  
James Patrick Mullins  
Nicholas Ethan Newman  
~~Hy Van Nguyen~~  
~~Errol Dwayne Owens~~

~~Jeffrey Paul Scarpace~~  
Toya Lynette Sherley  
Thomas Andrew Simonton  
~~John Ellis Stedman, Jr.~~  
Pik Chu Wong  
~~Faranak Yaghini~~

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Candidates for this degree have majored in mechanical engineering with a concentration in design and manufacturing, energy systems, mechanical systems, or chemical systems.

David Wayne Kessler, *summa cum laude*

Matthew Lewis Blair IV  
~~John Meredith Bowden~~  
Gerald Don Bowers  
~~Abdulla Rushdi Busaisow~~  
Edward Clinton Charlton

Matthew Cychowski  
Farley Kent Gordon  
John Edward Haley  
Jeffery William Haltom  
Mohd-Ghani Hasan  
Brent Korrel Herren

Scott Cannon Miles  
Tonya Renae Myatt  
~~Ohnisi Odjie~~  
~~Paul Francis Owens~~  
Kevin Walter Peel  
John Christopher Petrick

Isam Abdulla Showli  
Daniel Harris Smith  
~~James Brooks Smith~~  
Paul Eric Yarbrough  
Joseph Patrick Zakrzewski

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

Candidates for this degree have majored in architectural technology, construction technology, computer systems technology, electronics technology, or manufacturing technology.

German Charles Bush, *magna cum laude*  
Kathleen Scott Hamill, *magna cum laude*

Stephen Douglas Lundgren, *magna cum laude*  
Juan Carlos Pestana, *magna cum laude*

Martin Nathaniel Crockett, Jr., *cum laude*  
Diana Nevin Gokturk, *cum laude*

Frank Martin Hackerman, *cum laude*  
Robert Alexander Lonier II, *cum laude*

Bradley Clay Phillips, *cum laude*  
David Carl Schneider, *cum laude*

~~George Washington Allmon III~~  
Ricky Carnell Anderson  
David Cale Valentine  
Michael Bursey  
David Alan Byrd  
~~Richard Lee Carter~~  
Mitchell Emory Cassell  
Emile Joseph David  
Terri Lynn Dickson  
April Renee Edmonson

Roger William Fasteen  
John Thomas Geiger  
Charles Steven Gray II  
Roy Elgin Gunn  
~~Joseph Charles Hemmely~~  
Darrell Brian Hooper  
Camille Michelle Ivy  
~~David Manuel Johnson~~  
Billy Starnes Jones  
Stanley C. Kania

Dell Ray Livingston  
William Keith Magness  
Kevin David McCaleb  
John Michael Middleton  
Brian Walker O'Donnell  
Patricia Ann Pafford  
Freddie James Rhodes  
Dale Wade Sharp  
Mark McCay Sistrunk  
Monica Lynn Smith

Walter Russell Stark  
Richard Kevin Statham  
Jamie Lynn Surratt  
Larry Ray Taylor  
Stanley Dean Thomas  
William Russell Toone  
~~Richard Joseph Vancil~~  
Steven Dwayne Wade  
JoAnnettee Spivey Walker  
Terry Michael White

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN TECHNOLOGY

Candidates for this degree have majored in Vocational Technical Education.

~~Donald Kirk Bramlett~~

Karen Yvette Johnson

Chester Lee Molnar

### THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

*Candidates presented by Dean H. Ramsey Fowler, Ph.D.*

The mission of University College is to serve the educational needs of students whose career and personal goals require the development of non-traditional, interdisciplinary, individualized, degree program.

With its emphasis on interdisciplinary education which bridges the departments, University College offers to students and faculty alike an educational experience which uses new means to achieve old goals—the close relationship between life and study, the interrelatedness of human knowledge, and the application of that knowledge to the important issues of our time.

The degrees awarded by the College are the Bachelor of Liberal Studies and the Bachelor of Professional Studies.

### BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Jean Elizabeth Distretti, *magna cum laude*

~~John Arthur Acosta~~  
Stephen Alexander Dean  
Rita Elizabeth Houston  
Haruki Howell

Donna Margaret Hull  
Edward Clark James  
Timothy M. Loyd  
~~Doris Hatcher Manning~~

~~Michael Shannon McCarroll~~  
Ruth Scarbrough Mitchell  
Billy Dale Munn  
Stephanie Ann Parrish

Curtis Lee Richmond  
~~Carol Yvonne Sherrod~~  
Robert Lewis Smith, Jr.

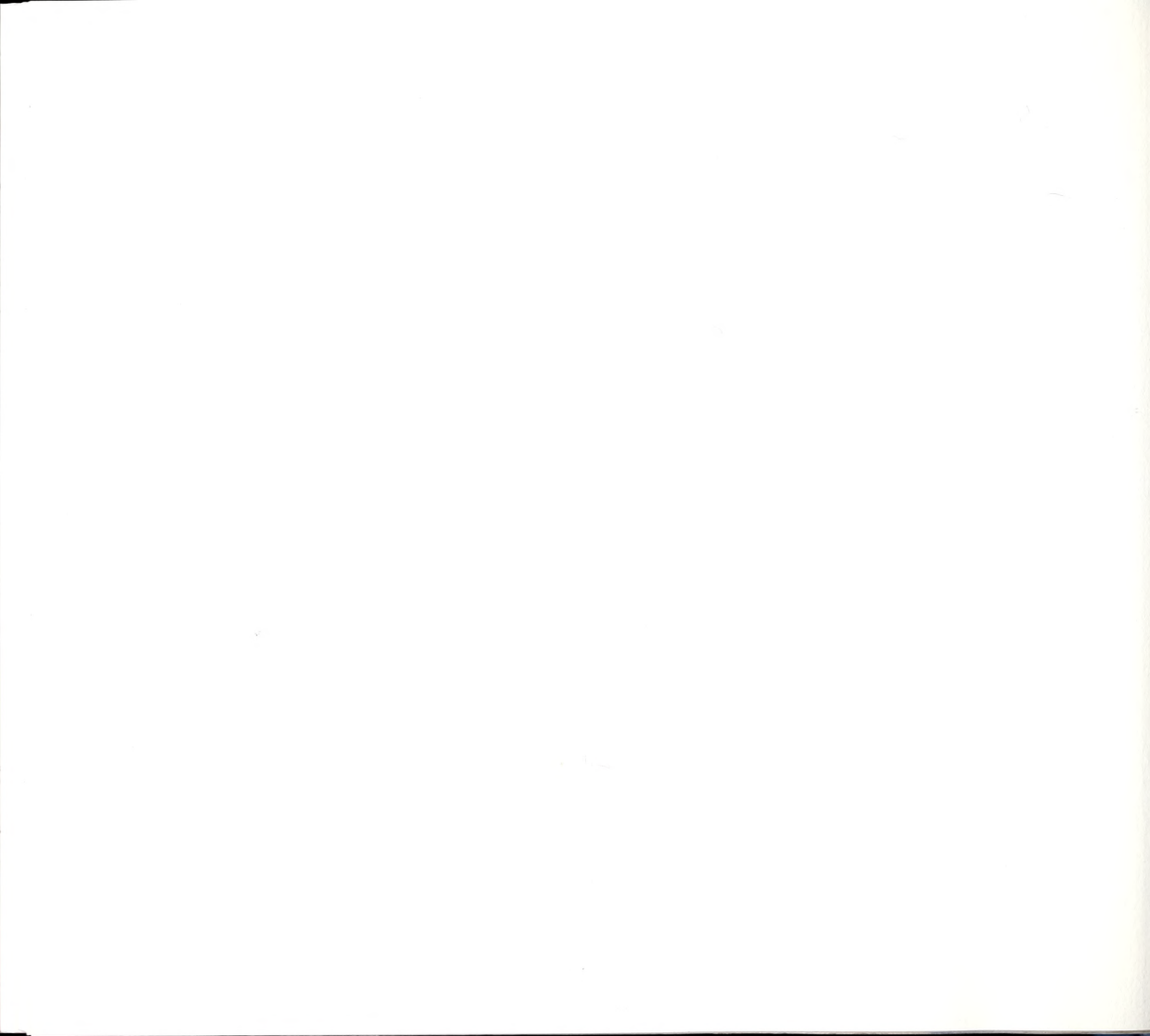
## CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW

*Candidates presented by Dean Frederick Davis, LL.M., J.D.*

The faculty of the School of Law is proud to present for conferral of the Juris Doctor degree the men and women who have successfully met all of the requirements for graduation as established by the School of Law. These graduates are not only prepared to enter into the practice of law at this time, but they are prepared for a lifetime of leadership in the legal profession. The School of Law endeavors to inculcate in each graduate a sense of responsibility to improve the providing of legal services to all persons and segments of society. Above all, the School of Law endeavors to impress upon each graduate the necessity for maintaining high ethical standards which are expected of lawyers in today's society. These graduates are entering a profession that is vital to the preservation of a free and democratic society, and they are well prepared for the challenges that lie ahead.

### Winter Convocation Candidates

Carolyn Anita Baker-Fulayter M.A., Memphis State University, 1974 B.S., Memphis State University, 1972	Ronald Joseph Fulayter B.S., Indiana Institute of Technology, 1955	Rodney Wayne King B.S., Memphis State University, 1972	Philip Rubin Strang B.S., University of Richmond, 1980
J. Diane Blount B.A., Memphis State University, 1982	Michael E. Harrington B.A., University of Tennessee, 1981	Shana Camille McCoy B.A., University of Kentucky, 1984	Paul Martin Teague B.B.A., Baylor University, 1985
Howard Alexander Caplan B.A., Pitzer College, 1980	Linda N. Harris B.A., Memphis State University, 1982	Jay Allen Moffitt B.S., Union University, 1984	Dianne Michelle Thackery B.A., Christian Brothers College, 1981
Patricia A. Collier Crowell B.A., University of Oklahoma, 1975	Marilyn Sellers Hobbs B.S., Memphis State University, 1980	Terry Thomas Owen, Sr. B.S., Christian Brothers College, 1984	John E. Toma, Jr. B.A., Yale University, 1965
Ed Daniel, IV B.S., University of Arkansas at Little Rock, 1983	Doris Anne Holt B.S., Mississippi Valley State University, 1975	Judson Wheeler Phillips B.A., Memphis State University, 1983	David Meade Townley M.B.A., Southern Illinois University, 1973 B.S., University of Arizona, 1966
Guy R. Dotson, Jr. B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 1985	Ester Eileen Huey B.A., Siena College, 1968	Christy Denise Rauchle B.A., Lambuth College, 1985	William John Twyford B.S., Vanderbilt University, 1984
Karen Anne Dvorak B.S., University of Wisconsin, 1983	Cam Towers Jones M.Ed., Memphis State University, 1972 B.S., Mississippi University for Women, 1970	John Livingood Ryan B.A., Memphis State University, 1983	Kathleen Rochford Webb B.B.A., Memphis State University, 1981
Terry Andrew Fann B.S., University of Tennessee, 1983	Ben Whitworth Keese B.A., Washington & Lee University, 1981	Grace Elizabeth Speer D.D.S., University of Tennessee, 1981 B.S., Memphis State University, 1977	Jean Stanford Williamson M.S.N., University of Tennessee, 1981 B.S.N., Memphis State University, 1980
Liza Lauren Fox B.A., Hollins College, 1984		Harold Glenn Speer, Jr. D.D.S., University of Tennessee, 1981 B.A., University of Tennessee, 1977	



## THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

*Candidates presented by Dean Dorothy A. Arata, Ph.D.*

The Graduate School of Memphis State University is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

## GRADUATE DEGREES IN ARTS AND SCIENCES

### MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in anthropology, criminal justice, English, geography, history, philosophy, political science, romance languages, school psychology, or sociology.

~~Mark Theophilus Adams  
B.A., 1987, Rhodes College~~

Richard Henry Branyan  
B.A., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Neville Craig Carson  
B.A., 1981, Rhodes College

Bridget G. Clark  
B.A., 1973, University of  
Tennessee at Martin

Hallie M. Cohen  
B.A., 1984, University of Michigan

Toreda D. Earls  
B.A., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Whitney Frazier Ellis  
B.A., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Calvin L. Engstrom  
B.A., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Janis Johnston Foster  
B.A., 1974, University of North  
Carolina at Greensboro

Robert Alan Ham  
B.A., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Jacqueline P. Harrison  
B.A., 1975, LeMoyne-Owen College

~~Dixie Crawford Hicks  
B.A., 1970, California State  
University at Fullerton~~

Karen Lynn Kuehn  
B.A., 1981, Emory University

~~Ron L. Miles  
B.A., 1983, LeMoyne-Owen College~~

Katherine Melissa Moore  
B.A., 1983, Vanderbilt University

~~Mark Lewis Nunn  
B.A., 1984, Memphis State  
University~~

Lawrence Sledge  
B.A., 1982, Tougaloo College

### MASTER OF CITY & REGIONAL PLANNING

The candidate for this degree have concentrated on development planning, comprehensive physical planning, natural and environmental resources planning, or urban revitalization planning.

William Kelly Shannahan  
B.S., 1984, Salisbury State College

Jerolyn Barbee Wheeler  
B.A., 1979, Memphis State  
University

## MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in public administration in the areas of comparative and development administration, general administration, health service administration, public policy analysis/program evaluation, or urban management and planning.

Frances Caryline Adkins  
B.S., 1980, University of Tennessee  
at Martin  
B.S., 1981, University of Tennessee  
at Memphis

Louis Darryl John Barbieri  
B.A., 1978, University of Colorado  
M.A., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Barbara Ann Marie Gingras  
B.S.N., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Regina Ann Guy  
B.P.S., 1985, Memphis State  
University

William David Hancock, Sr.  
B.S., 1977, Memphis State  
University

Gregory L. Horton  
B.S., 1983, Middle Tennessee State  
University

Thomas J. Leech III  
B.T., 1976, Florida International  
University

Dianne Lodge  
B.S., 1973, Southern University  
M.S., 1981, Memphis State  
University

~~Roy~~  
Kenneth Roy Madden, Jr.  
B.A., 1984, Memphis State  
University

Paulette Palmer Robertson  
A.D.N., 1975, Memphis State  
University  
B.S.N., 1982, Memphis State  
University

Frank Warren Young  
B.A., 1979, Memphis State  
University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in biology, chemistry, geography, geological sciences, natural sciences, physics, general psychology, or mathematics.

Gertraud R. Alvis  
B.S., 1984, Memphis State  
University

Curtis Edward Banks  
B.S., 1982, Grambling State  
University

Russell Bruce  
B.S., 1982, Bangladesh University

William Donald Caldwell, Jr.  
B.S., 1981, Memphis State  
University

D.D.S., 1987, University of  
Tennessee at Memphis

~~Allen L. Chev~~  
B.S., 1976, Memphis State  
University  
B.B.A., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Raymond A. Clapsadle  
B.S., 1985, Memphis State  
University

James Chandler Clubb  
A.A., 1974, Pierce College  
B.A., 1976, California State  
University at Northridge

Farrokh Eslahi  
B.A., 1978, Arkansas State  
University  
B.S., 1985, Arkansas State  
University

~~Fareeduddin Farooq~~  
B. Tech., 1968, Indian Institute of  
Technology  
M.E., 1970, City University of New  
York

~~Daphne Ann Hall~~  
B.S., 1987, Mississippi State  
University

Karen Ann Lavallee  
B.A., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Lian Li  
B.S., 1982, Huazhong Normal  
University

~~Jiun-Jer Lin~~  
B.S., 1981, Feng Chia University

John Robert Martin  
B.S., 1984, Baldwin-Wallace  
College

Garrett Wilson Milliken  
B.A., 1984, Ohio University

Kevin B. Monroe  
A.S., 1983, Jackson State  
Community College  
B.S., 1986, Union University

~~Dawn Elizabeth Mullen~~  
B.S., 1984, Bowling Green State  
University

~~Diane R. Myers~~  
B.S.E., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Dave Paul Nunn  
B.S., 1985, Tulane University

Dale Diane Tompkins  
B.S.M.T., 1975, East Carolina  
University



## GRADUATE DEGREES IN BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

### MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in economics.

Gail Belinda Hurt  
B.A., 1984, East Tennessee State  
University

### MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration in the areas of accountancy, economics, finance, insurance, real estate, management, management science, marketing, law, the executive program, or management information systems.

Drew Kermit Anderson B.S., 1978, Birmingham-Southern College	Herbert J. Goodman B.S., 1968, C. W. Post University	Laftah Noni Latif B.B.A., 1986, Memphis State University	Bangaruswamy Murugesan B.S., 1978, Madras University B.C., 1982, Annamalas University
Beatrice S. Anzur B.S.E., 1972, Duquesne University	Tamara Lynn Hensley B.B.A., 1983, Harding University	Maia E. Leitschuh B.S., 1981, Memphis State University	David Randall Nelson B.B.A., 1981, Evangel College
Sherrell W. Armstrong B.S., 1986, University of Tennessee	Donald Scott Howell B.A., 1985, Southern Methodist University	James Timothy Mashburn B.A., 1974, University of Mississippi	Michael Harold Owens B.S., 1982, Christian Brothers College
Scott Thomas Ash B.S., 1985, St. Louis University	William Alton Humphrey B.Pharm., 1982, University of Tennessee at Memphis	M.A.T., 1979, Memphis State University	Gary W. Pruitt B.S., 1964, Illinois Wesleyan University
Richard Langan Clarke III B.S., 1980, Mississippi State University	Sherry Dianne Hurley B.B.A., 1985, Memphis State University	Mary Alison Maynard B.S., 1985, Lambuth College	Hubert Carlton Rackley III B.B.A., 1982, Delta State University
Marion Ellison Cox B.A., 1972, Millsaps College	Richard Turner Jabbour B.F.A., 1985, Memphis State University	Michael Eric McCord B.Ch.E., 1980, Purdue University	Thelona Manning Reese B.A., 1975, Fisk University
Donald Gege Drewry B.B.A., 1979, Memphis State University	Kathleen M. Jackson B.S., 1983, Memphis State University	Christopher J. McLean B.S., 1980, Christian Brothers College	James Everett Robertson B.B.A., 1980, Memphis State University
Paul Scott Felner B.A., 1985, Rhodes College	Sam Jeffrey Jenkins B.S., 1980, University of Alabama	Gerard Kent McVay B.B.A., 1985, Memphis State University	Terry A. Robertson B.S., 1982, University of Mississippi
Gary G. Gagstetter B.S., 1982, Michigan State University	Jennilyn Jennings B.S.N., 1982, University of Tennessee at Memphis	Carl F. Moak B.S., 1979, University of Virginia	Lynn Mason Rockwell, Jr. B.B.A., 1984, Memphis State University

Michael Glen Sanders  
B.B.A., 1983, Mississippi State  
University

Rakesh Sharma  
B.S., 1985, Rhodes College

Mark Carroll Shults  
B.A., 1976, Western Kentucky  
University

Dana Smith-Jennings  
B.S.C.E., 1977, Memphis State  
University

George Edmunds Surber  
B.A., 1978, Rhodes College

Gregory Elton Thomason  
B.S.E.T., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Claudia Miller Twardzik  
B.S., 1982, East Carolina  
University

Shelia W. Vaughn  
B.S., 1975, Memphis State  
University

Lawrence L. Vescovo, Jr.  
B.S.E.E., 1971, Christian Brothers  
College  
B.S.M.E., 1972, Christian Brothers  
College

Amy Claire Williams  
B.B.A., 1986, Freed-Hardeman  
College

Andrew M. Wilson  
B.S., 1980, Alcorn State University

Eugene Daniel Witherspoon III  
B.A., 1982, Rhodes College

Joel J. Wright  
B.S., 1980, University of Tennessee  
at Martin

### MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in accounting, finance, management, marketing, or management information systems.

A. Alexander Allen  
B.B.A., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Steve A. Burford  
A.S., 1975, Northwest Mississippi  
Junior College  
B.A., 1977, University of  
Mississippi

Donald W. Caudill  
B.S., 1980, Berea College  
M.B.A., 1981, Morehead State  
University

Jane Porter Feild  
B.A., 1959, Vanderbilt University  
M.S., 1960, Vanderbilt University

Rick Masson  
B.A., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Lisa Ellen Shirley  
B.P.A., 1986, Mississippi State  
University

Chas Kevin Taplin  
B.M., 1982, Southern Illinois  
University

### GRADUATE DEGREES IN COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

#### MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in art history, radio-tv-film production, communication studies, theatre, or journalism.

~~Ellen Cartwell  
B.A., 1978, Memphis State  
University~~

~~Jon T. Fox  
B.A., 1977, Memphis State  
University~~

Carole R. Manning  
B.A., 1977, Memphis State  
University

Curtis Ray Mason  
B.A., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Sarah Leigh McLaughlin  
B.A., 1984, Vanderbilt University

William Keith Toler  
B.A., 1984, University of Virginia

Kathleen Woodruff Wickham  
B.A., 1971, Glassboro State College

Mary Morgan Smith

## MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in studio art or theatre.

Lillian Brock  
B.F.A., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Garry Roger Brown  
B.S., 1984, University of Louisville

Gertrude A. Casciano  
A.A.S., 1960, Alfred Agricultural  
and Technical Institute  
B.A., 1984, University of Arkansas  
at Little Rock  
M.A., 1987, University of Arkansas  
at Little Rock

~~John C. Houston  
B.A., 1982, Kent State University~~

~~Crystal Kay Kuhlman  
B.F.A., 1981, Central Missouri  
State University~~

~~Karen Irene Peterson  
B.F.A., 1984, Louisiana State  
University~~

Ephraim Muviré Urévu  
O.N.D., 1976, Yaba College of  
Technology  
B.F.A., 1983, Memphis State  
University

Patricia A. Warren  
B.S., 1983, Middle Tennessee State  
University

## MASTER OF MUSIC

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in applied music, music theory, music history, Orff-Schulwerk, opera conducting or opera production and directing, or sacred music, suzuki piano pedagogy, or music education.

~~Chen-Pei Chen  
B.A., 1980, Chinese Culture  
University~~

~~Debra S. Clifton  
B.M.E., 1983, Stetson University~~

Lisa Jeanne Cridge  
B.M., 1983, University of Hartford

Rebecca Lee England  
B.M., 1982, Union University

~~Man-Lun Hsu  
B.A., 1980, Chinese Culture  
University~~

~~Carol S. Lowry  
B.M., 1982, Kent State University~~

Amy Muchnick  
B.M., 1984, University of Hartford

Robert Christian Paul  
B.M., 1985, North Texas State  
University

Stanley Edward Workman, Jr.  
B.M., 1982, Kent State University

## GRADUATE DEGREES IN EDUCATION

### MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

The candidates for this degree have majored in curriculum and instruction.

John Murry Chapman  
B.F.A., 1983, University of  
Southern Mississippi

Velda Terry King  
B.A., 1977, University of  
Tennessee

~~Walter Franklin Williams  
B.S., 1975, Memphis State  
University  
M.S., 1978, Memphis State  
University~~

## MASTER OF EDUCATION

The candidates for the master's degree from the College of Education have majored in the areas of educational administration and supervision, curriculum and instruction, counseling and personnel services, health, physical education and recreation, business education and office management, or special education.

Elaine Ballin  
B.B.A., 1970, Hofstra University

Heather Christine Bennett  
B.S., 1986, Vanderbilt University

Jane Marie Betty  
B.S., 1976, Freed-Hardeman  
College

Greg Alan Bingman  
B.M.E., 1980, Murray State  
University

Aubrey L. Bond  
B.S., 1975, Lane College

Jettie D. Bowen III  
B.S., 1984, Christian Brothers  
College

Scarlett Lee Bowlin  
B.S.E., 1985, University of  
Mississippi

Samuel David Braslow  
B.S.E., 1979, Memphis State  
University

Scott Harlan Brock  
B.S., 1985, University of Tennessee

Susan I. Campbell  
B.S., 1977, Georgia State  
University

Loretta Yuvone Carr  
B.S.E., 1979, Memphis State  
University

Janet Azbill Coffman  
B.S., 1974, Union University

Amy Catherine Compton  
B.S.E., 1984, University of Georgia

~~Henrene Cannon Davis  
B.S., 1960, Jackson State University~~

Bing Deng  
B.E., 1985, Huazhong Normal  
University

~~Marsha D. Pipkin Everett  
B.S., 1972, Central State University~~

Carolyn Jane Franks  
A.S., 1974, Columbia State  
Community College  
B.S., 1976, University of North  
Alabama

Deborah Y. Graham  
B.S.E., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Juanita W. Graham  
B.A., 1968, Spelman College

Eunice Robinson Harris  
B.S., 1980, University of Tennessee

Sarah R. Harris  
B.F.A., 1980, Memphis State  
University

~~Charlotte R. Hines  
B.S.E., 1981, Mississippi University  
for Women~~

Joyce R. Hines  
B.A., 1983, Murray State  
University

Ronald Lynn Hinton  
B.S., 1970, Bethel College

Velma Quinn Hodges  
B.S., 1967, Jackson State University

Yvonne Cortrell Jones  
B.S.E., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Melinda Kay Keller  
B.S., 1984, Lambuth College

Michelle Dion Lawrence  
B.S.E., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Brenda B. Lewis  
B.S., 1984, Union University

Cynthia P. May  
B.S., 1975, University of North  
Alabama

Vivian P. McEwen  
B.A.E., 1981, University of  
Mississippi

~~Malcolm McKinney  
B.S., 1979, Lambuth College~~

Ronald C. McLarty  
B.B.A., 1970, Memphis State  
University  
M.S., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Rita Faye Moore  
B.S.E., 1971, Memphis State  
University

Constance P. Morrow  
B.M.E., 1973, Eastern Michigan  
University

Joan Nimic  
B.S.E., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Polly Antoinette Palmer  
A.A., 1973, Dyersburg State  
Community College  
B.S., 1983, Lambuth College

~~Estella Crutcher Phipps  
B.S., 1970, LeMoyne-Owen College~~

Melody Camillia Poe  
B.S.E., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Ruby P. Polk  
B.S., 1963, Alcorn State University

Pamela Sue Ripperton  
A.A., 1979, Central Piedmont  
Community College  
B.S., 1981, Winthrop College

Suzanne Dunavant Ripksi  
B.S.E., 1970, Memphis State  
University

Debra Kaufman Sewell  
B.S., 1977, George Peabody College

Vernon E. Shaw  
B.S., 1978, Texas Southern  
University

Charlotte Moore Smith  
B.S., 1960, University of Tennessee  
at Martin

Delores Ann Sommer  
B.S., 1970, Ohio University  
M.Ed., 1974, Morehead State  
University

~~Joanne Spain  
B.A., 1961, Lambuth College~~

Sharon H. Veglio  
B.S.E., 1982, Memphis State  
University  
Raymond A. Vohden, Jr.  
B.A., 1984, University of  
Tennessee  
B.A., 1985, University of  
Tennessee

~~Nelle E. Widdows  
B.S., 1977, Memphis State  
University  
A.C.E., 1981, State Technical  
Institute at Memphis~~

Mary D. Williams  
B.S.E., 1974, University of  
Tennessee at Martin

Dorothy Gentry Woods  
B.A., 1967, Lane College  
Joanne Kramer Yates  
B.S.E., 1956, Miami University

Jo Nell Williams Wilson

### MASTER OF SCIENCE (IN EDUCATION)

The candidates for the master's degree from the College of Education have majored in the areas of educational administration and supervision, curriculum and instruction, counseling and personnel services, geriatric services, health, physical education and recreation, home economics, business education and office management, special education, or foundations of education.

John B. Aday, Jr.  
B.S., 1957, Memphis State  
University  
M.S. 1968, Boston University

Olivia Carol Atkeison  
B.A., 1974, Memphis State  
University

Cynthia Lynnelle Barton  
B.B.A., 1985, Baylor University

Nanette Lynn Beasley  
B.S.E., 1984, Memphis State  
University

Katherine Davis Bell  
B.S.E., 1972, University of  
Tennessee at Martin

Josephine Breathitt Buford  
B.S., 1965, Lambuth College

Susan Carruthers  
B.S.E., 1981, University of  
Missouri

Catherine Tierce Clifton  
B.S., 1986, University of Tennessee  
at Martin

Stephen D. Cook  
B.A., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Jennifer Lee Gooch  
A.S., 1981, Jackson State  
Community College  
B.S., 1983, Lambuth College

Sally Scott Hamby  
B.S., 1980, Delta State University

Victoria Lynn Hamilton  
B.A., 1975, Memphis State  
University  
B.S.E., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Sharon Kay Hearn  
B.S., 1979, Mississippi University  
for Women

Patresna Renee Holt  
B.S.N., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Carolyn Louise Hundley  
B.S., 1986, University of Tennessee  
at Chattanooga

Janey Marston Jackson  
B.A., 1974, Lambuth College

Janice Jackson  
B.A., 1977, Union University

Kelli Lynn Jeffries  
B.A., 1985, Malone College

Charles Stuart Johnson  
A.A., 1978, Northeast Mississippi  
Junior College  
B.A., 1981, Memphis State  
University

~~Martha Louise Jones  
B.S., 1979, Tennessee State  
University~~

~~Charles Russell Lamb  
B.B.A., 1986, Memphis State  
University~~

Judy Forsythe Linder  
B.S.E., 1973, Memphis State  
University

Pamela Tracye Franklin Manes  
A.A., 1980, Jackson State  
Community College  
B.S., 1982, Middle Tennessee State  
University

W. C. McDaniel  
B.S., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Yvonne Harris Moody  
A.S., 1972, Jackson State  
Community College  
B.S., 1980, University of Alabama  
A.S.N., 1983, Union University

Mary Nora Ng  
B.S.E., 1952, Maryknoll College  
M.A., 1970, Ateneo de Manila  
University

Catherine W. Pera  
B.A., 1981, Mount Vernon College

John M. Phillips  
B.A., 1984, Harding University

Susan Gail Pittman  
B.S.E., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Carol Goodrich Risher  
B.A., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Vicki Ray Robertson  
B.S.E., 1975, Memphis State  
University

Patsy Higgins Rushing  
A.D.N., 1977, Memphis State  
University

B.S.N., 1980, Memphis State  
University

Jean I. Schmidt  
B.A., 1969, Valparaiso University

Julius Edward Scipio  
B.S., 1986, Paine College

David Michael Scruggs  
B.S.E., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Nancy Hyatt Shapiro  
B.A., 1975, University of  
Bridgeport  
M.A., 1980, Memphis State  
University

~~Patricia Leathers Stephenson  
B.S., 1977, Lambuth College~~

Glen W. Stewart, Jr.  
B.S., 1967, Tennessee Tech  
University

Kevin L. Swannigan  
B.B.A., 1976, Memphis State  
University  
B.S., 1986, Memphis State  
University

Sandra Lee Trammell  
B.P.S., 1986, Memphis State  
University

Essie Parram Walker  
B.S.E., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Toni Gantt Watson  
B.A., 1968, Memphis State  
University

Susanne Harris Wyatt  
B.S., 1975, Lambuth College

### EDUCATION SPECIALIST

The candidates for this degree have majored in curriculum and instruction, educational administration and supervision, or personnel services.

Dallas Michael Neyman  
B.S., 1972, Delta State University  
M.Ed., 1977, Memphis State  
University

Laura Jean Baker Terrell  
B.S.E., 1970, Memphis State  
University  
M.Ed., 1976, Memphis State  
University

### GRADUATE DEGREES IN ENGINEERING

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in civil engineering, electrical engineering, industrial systems analysis, mechanical engineering or technical education.

William Gwyn Anderson, Sr.  
A.A., 1972, Pensacola Junior  
College  
B.S.E.T., 1986, Memphis State  
University

Ravikanth Onkarlal Badruka  
B.E., 1986, Osmania University

Hsiang-Ling Chang  
B.E., 1974, Tamkang University

Wen-Cheng Chang  
B.S., 1984, National Taiwan  
University

Jeff K. Childress  
B.S.E.T., 1981, Memphis State  
University

Haytham Massoud Gebara  
B.S.C.E., 1985, Memphis State  
University

Saraswathy Gurunathan  
B.E., 1984, Madras University

Hung Anh Hoang  
B.S.M.E., 1986, Memphis State  
University

Chih-Jen Hsu  
B.S., 1982, National Cheng-Kung  
University

Charles C. Hudson  
A.S., 1971, East Central Junior  
College  
B.S.I.E., 1974, Mississippi State  
University

Shin-Shun Jiang  
B.S., 1982, Feng-Chia University

Jeffrey W. Kidd  
B.S.M.E., 1986, Memphis State  
University

Min Lee  
B.S., 1983, Fong Chia University

Henry Raft Leggette  
B.S., 1967, Mississippi Valley State  
College

~~Amrollah Moti  
A.A., 1982, Westark Community  
College  
B.S., 1985, Oklahoma State  
University~~

~~Khalidou Mougharbel  
B.S.C.E., 1985, Memphis State  
University~~

Kristine Heffington Sanders  
A.S., 1974, University of South  
Dakota  
B.S., 1976, University of South  
Dakota

Pierre Schonbaum  
B.S., 1978, Memphis State  
University

Deborah R. Smith  
B.S., 1983, Virginia Tech  
University

Marvin L. Table  
A.S.E.E., 1976, DeVry Institute  
B.S.E.T., 1981, Memphis State  
University

James Martin Wade  
B.S.C.E., 1981, University of  
Tennessee

Gloria Annette Williams  
B.F.A., 1980, Memphis State  
University

## GRADUATE DEGREES IN INDEPENDENT PROGRAMS

### MASTER OF ARTS (Audiology & Speech Pathology)

Beth Ann Doyle  
B.S.E., 1986, University of Georgia

Stephanie Arona Kraft  
B.S.E., 1986, University of Georgia

Laura Vanita Simmons  
B.A.E., 1986, University of  
Mississippi

Lisa J. Young  
B.A., 1986, Louisiana Tech  
University

### MASTER OF ARTS (Individual Studies)

Eileen Gunter Auxier  
B.A.M., 1954, Berea College

## DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Marilyn Michelle Helms - Department of Management

B.B.A., 1982, Memphis State University

M.B.A., 1984, Memphis State University

Dissertation: *"Strategy and the Impact of Environmental Pressures: An Analysis of the Expedited Small Package Industry"*

Major Professor: Dr. Elmore R. Alexander III, Associate Professor of Management

Graham Robert Mitenko - Department of Finance, Insurance and Real Estate

B.A., 1976, University of Manitoba

M.B.A., 1980, Mankato State University

Dissertation: *"An Empirical Investigation of the Relationship Among and the Predictive Ability of Four Measures of Cash Flow"*

Major Professor: Dr. Kenneth J. Burns, Associate Professor of Finance

John H. Tipton, Jr. - Department of Management

B.S., 1952, United States Military Academy

M.S., 1964, Georgia Institute of Technology

M.B.A., 1981, Memphis State University

Dissertation: *"Development of a Framework for Measuring Productivity in Hospitals Under a Prospective Payment System"*

Major Professor: Dr. Satish Mehra, Associate Professor of Management Information Systems

Mark A. Turner - Department of Accountancy

B.S., 1973, University of Texas

M.B.A., 1976, University of Texas

Dissertation: *"Judicial and Administrative Determination of Unrelated Business Income of Tax-Exempt Organizations"*

Major Professor: Dr. Kenneth R. Lambert, Associate Professor of Accountancy

Ray E. Williams - Department of Accountancy

B.S., 1959, University of Tennessee

B.S., 1977, University of North Florida

M.B.A., 1978, Murray State University

Dissertation: *"The Informational Content of the Current Market Value of Long-Term Debt"*

Major Professor: Dr. Surendra P. Agrawal, Professor of Accountancy



## DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Robert Milton Darden - Department of Curriculum & Instruction

B.A., 1976, Memphis State University

M.S., 1979, University of Tennessee

Dissertation: *"Intellectual Development in College Freshman"*

Major Professor: Dr. Charles S. Claxton, Associate Professor of Curriculum and Instruction

Susie L. Hodge - Department of Educational Administration & Supervision

B.S.E., 1973, Memphis State University

M.Ed., 1975, Memphis State University

Dissertation: *"A Study of the Attitudes and Perceptions of Principals Toward the Adopt-A-School Program and Related Program Characteristics"*

Major Professor: Dr. Fred K. Bellott, Professor of Educational Administration and Supervision

Patricia Anne Kohler - Department of Special Educational

B.S.E., 1973, University of Central Arkansas

M.Ed., 1978, University of Arkansas

Ed.S., 1985, University of Arkansas

Dissertation: *"The Effects of the Teacher Expectations and Student Achievement Model on the Achievement and Self Concept of Mildly Handicapped Students Receiving Resource Room Instruction"*

Major Professor: Dr. H. Lyndall Rich, Professor of Special Education

Theodore J. Meyers - Department of Educational Administration & Supervision

B.S., 1966, Iowa State University

M.B.A., 1970, Utah State University

M.A., 1983, Columbia University

Dissertation: *"Competence in School Principals: A Definition, Ratings of Mastery, and Sources of Acquisition in West Tennessee and Nationally"*

Major Professor: Dr. Frank W. Markus, Professor of Educational Administration and Supervision

Joseph C. Otto - Department of Curriculum & Instruction

B.S., 1978, Iowa State University

M.S.E., 1982, Eastern Illinois University

Dissertation: *"The Identification of Essential Competencies for a Model Course in Microcomputer Business Applications"*

Major Professor: Dr. Lillian H. Chaney, Associate Professor of Management

Stanford N. Peppenhorst - Department of Educational Administration & Supervision

B.S., 1968, Memphis State University

M.A.T., 1976, Memphis State University

M.Ed., 1977, Memphis State University

Dissertation: *"The Effects of Time of Day and Cerebral Dominance on the Critical Thinking Ability of High School Seniors"*

Major Professor: Dr. Frank W. Markus, Professor of Educational Administration and Supervision

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

- Mercedes Galante - Department of Psychology  
B.A., 1978, University of California at Los Angeles  
M.S., 1983, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"Trainees' and Supervisors' Perceptions of Effective and Ineffective Supervisory Relations"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Prabha Khanna, Professor of Psychology
- Teresa Jane Graves - Department of Psychology  
B.A., 1982, Memphis State University  
M.S., 1985, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"A Comparison of a Television-Delivered Behavioral Weight Loss Program with Televised and Non-Televised Weight Loss Groups"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Andrews W. Meyers, Professor of Psychology
- Robert Blair Idleron - Department of Mathematical Sciences  
B.S., 1951, University of Maryland  
M.S., 1970, George Washington University  
Dissertation: *"Evaluation of Samples with Few Non-Zero Items"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Lih-Yuan Deng, Associate Professor of Mathematics
- Ann Quinn Phyfer - Department of Counseling & Personnel Services  
B.S., 1960, Memphis State University  
M.A., 1963, Memphis State University  
Ph.D., 1975, University of Texas  
Dissertation: *"Variables Predicting Retention in First-Year Engineering Students"*  
Major Professor: Dr. H. Lyndall Rich, Professor of Special Education
- Karen Marie Swift - Department of Psychology  
B.S., 1979, California State University at Long Beach  
M.A., 1982, California State University at Long Beach  
Dissertation: *"Child Sexual Abuse Prevention: Parent - vs. Child-Based Programs"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Andrew W. Meyers, Professor of Psychology
- William H. Gardner, Jr. - Department of Psychology  
B.A., 1973, Rhodes College  
M.A., 1981, Memphis State University  
Ed.S., 1982, Memphis State University  
M.S., 1984, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"Factors Associated with Hyperactivity and Aggression in Children"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Sam B. Morgan, Professor of Psychology
- Kenneth Wayne Heard - Department of Audiology & Speech Pathology  
B.A., 1974, University of Arkansas  
M.A., 1976, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"Assessment of Lead-Lag Effects and Ear Asymmetry on the Auditory Brainstem Response in Humans from Binaural Interaurally Delayed Stimulation"*  
Major Professor: Dr. David J. Wark, Associate Professor of Audiology and Speech Pathology
-  Vanja H. King - Department of Biology  
B.S., 1977, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"Survival of Added Bacterial Species and Metabolism of Toxic Compounds in Natural Environments"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Lawrence Mallory, Associate Professor of Biology
- Monte Dale Smalley - Department of Psychology  
B.A., 1981, Memphis State University  
M.S., 1984, Memphis State University  
Dissertation: *"The Influence of Higher Order Needs on Climate Responses"*  
Major Professor: Dr. Erich P. Prien, Professor of Psychology

**THE DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE STUDIES  
AFROTC DETACHMENTS NR 785  
CANDIDATES FOR AIR FORCE COMMISSION**

The Department of Aerospace Studies offers a curriculum to prepare men and women for commissioned service in the United States Air Force. The courses and Leadership Laboratory are designed to complement the student's work in his major field of study. A minor in Aerospace Studies is offered to those who complete 18 semester hours of Air Force ROTC courses.

The General Military Course, open to all University students, comprises four semesters of survey-level instruction on the development and organization of the Air Force. A month of summer training at an active Air Force base leads to membership in the Professional Officer Course for selected cadets and applicants from the University at large. During their final two years of graduate or undergraduate schooling, Air Force ROTC cadets study comprehensive courses in Leadership and Management, American Defense Policy and Flight Theory. Candidates for pilot training complete a course of 25 hours of flight instruction in light aircraft. The cadets organize and conduct a broad range of extracurricular activities to develop leadership skills and managerial experience to meet the course objectives of Leadership Laboratory.

Upon graduation and completion of the Air Force ROTC program, the cadets are commissioned as Second Lieutenants and assume the responsibilities of managing our nation's Aerospace defense resources.

2nd LT. Mac A. Crawford

2nd LT. Gerald D. Spurgers

**THE DEPARTMENT OF NAVAL SCIENCE  
NAVAL ROTC UNIT  
CANDIDATES FOR NAVY COMMISSION**

The Department of Naval Science provides a four-year and two-year program of instruction leading to an undergraduate degree and commission as an officer in the regular United States Navy or Marine Corps as well as Naval Reserve or Marine Corps Reserve. The program is also known as the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) and is voluntary in that students may withdraw from the program at any time during the freshman year. At the start of the sophomore year, scholarship students enter into an agreement with the Department of the Navy that specifies active duty service after college work is completed. These programs are open to men and women.

The four year program is geared to students who enter the NROTC program as freshmen. Students are introduced to the field of naval science which encompasses a broad variety of subjects ranging from basic seamanship to fleet operations. Topics covered during the first half of the four year program include principles of naval ships systems, naval weaponry, seapower, and maritime affairs. The second half (junior and senior years) is devoted to navigation and naval operations, naval leadership and management, and, for Marine Option Students, amphibious warfare and a study of warfare through the ages. Six week summer training cruises are also part of the naval science program. While participating in summer training, students receive approximately one half the monetary compensation of an Ensign and are provided room, board, medical care and travel to and from training.

The two-year program is offered to upper level students only. Students apply for enrollment through the Professor of Naval Science before the spring semester of their sophomore year. Following acceptance, students attend the six-week Naval Science Institute in Newport, Rhode Island, during the summer between the sophomore and junior years. Upon return to campus, students are enrolled in the NROTC program and participate as regular scholarship students.

Upon graduation and completion of the Navy ROTC Program, midshipmen are commissioned as Ensigns in the United States Navy or Second Lieutenants in the Marine Corps.

2nd LT. Jeffery M. Robinson



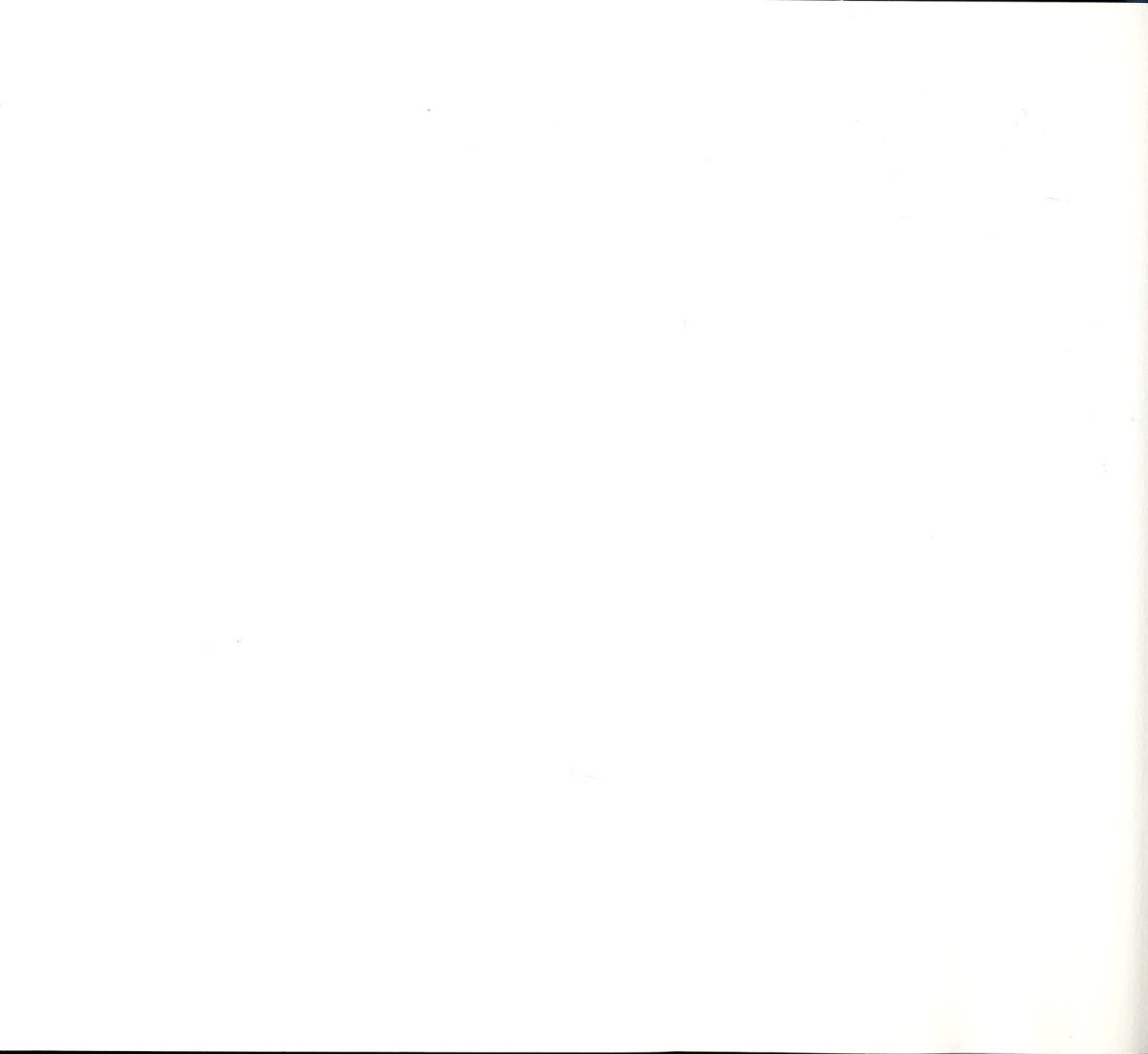
## NATIONAL ANTHEM

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light  
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.  
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

## ALMA MATER

Stand firm, O Alma Mater,  
Through all the years to come;  
In days of youth and beauty  
Thy halls have been our home.  
In time of preparation  
Great lessons didst thou teach  
Til now, O Alma Mater,  
The stars we'll strive to reach.

- Commencement Directed by: David A. Collins  
Director of Commencement
- Commencement Ushers: Members of the Memphis State University Ambassador Board
- Pronouncers: Dr. James E. Fickle, Department of History  
Dr. Sharon E. Harwood, Department of Foreign Language
- Academic Marshals: Dr. Melvin C. Barber III, Department of Geography  
Dr. William H. Zuber, Jr., Department of Chemistry  
Dr. Donald W. Satterfield, Management Information Systems and Decision Sciences  
Dr. Patrick L. Schul, Department of Marketing  
Dr. John DeMott, Department of Journalism  
Dr. Stephen Hancock, Department of Theatre and Communication Arts  
Dr. Dennie L. Smith, Department of Curriculum and Instruction  
Dr. Lana J. Smith, Department of Curriculum and Instruction  
Dr. Charles W. Bray, Department of Electrical Engineering  
Dr. Thomas Shockley, Department of Electrical Engineering  
Dr. Carole L. Bond, Department of Curriculum and Instruction  
Dr. H. Pierre Secher, Department of Political Science



## THE PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

### Symbol of Authority

Memphis State University's Presidential Medallion and Chain are symbolic of the authority vested in the Office of the President by the Board of Regents of the State University and Community College System of Tennessee. Only the president may wear them as a part of official University functions.

In effect, Memphis State University has assumed a tradition begun in ancient Rome and carried into the religious and academic world of the Renaissance, when chains of office and medals, or medallions, were used to signify position, authority and trust.

In keeping with academic tradition, Memphis State's ceremonial Presidential Medallion combines the school's seal with a chain honoring past presidents of the University.

The medallion is a duplicate of the school's seal, 4.5 inches in diameter, and has a base of sterling silver. It is trimmed in 14-karat yellow gold.

The obverse contains three symbols—the open book of scholarship, the handheld torch of knowledge and a river steamboat that symbolizes Memphis. All are raised in 14-karat gold and trimmed in blue and gray enamel. A precious stone is mounted in the wheel of the steamboat.

The reverse is engraved in silver with presentation and inauguration information.

Each link of the decorative chain has a sterling silver base with 14-karat yellow gold trim. Within the trim is blue enamel surrounding a silver plate engraved with the name of a past president. The reverse side of each link is engraved with the tenure of the specific president.

The Presidential Medallion and Chain were gifts to the University by a distinguished, select number of alumni and friends. Designed by Tom R. Collins, former MSU director of art services, in 1974, the medallion and chain were crafted by Memphis jewelers Endicott Nelson & Sons, Inc.



